OBITUARIES

Mrs. Garland Crews

CONCORD - Mrs. Fannie Matthews Crews, 83, of Rt. 2, Concord died Thursday, Dec. 11, 1975 at 4:45 a.m. in Lynchburg General Hospital. She was the wife of the late Garland Hall Crews.

She was born in Buckingham County, a daughter of the late John Alexander Matthews and Ada Reynolds Matthews. She was a member of Trinity United Methodist Church.

She is survived by one son, Warren G. Crews of Concord; three daughters, Mrs. Pauline C. Davis of Richmond, Mrs. Maree C. Deutsch of Hyattsville, Md. and Mrs. Hazel C. Bentjen of Kettering, Ohio; two sisters, Miss Virginia Matthews and Miss Jessie Matthews, both of Appomattox; 14 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday at Robinson Funeral Home by the Rev. Leon Lawrence with burial in Rebecca Cemetery.

Elliott Saunders

Elliott Saunders, 52, of Disputanta, died at 7:45 a.m. Saturday as the result of an automobile accident.

Born in Appomattox County, he was a son of Madison Saunders of Rt. 3, Appomattox, and the late Pearl Jackson Saunders. He was a forklift operator for E. P. Anderson Lumber Co. of Hopewell.

In addition to his father, he is survived by two sons, Marvin E. Saunders of the U. S. Army in Germany and Phillip N. Saunders of Concord; a daughter, Mrs. Linda S. Jackson of Concord; two brothers, Madison Saunders Jr. of Concord and Fred Saunders of Staunton; two sisters, Mrs. Illieniose Morgan and Mrs. Mattie H. Ferguson of New York, and a granddaughter.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Bethlehem Baptist Church of Appomattox County. Burial in Saunders family cemetery.

Robinson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Randolph T. Morris

Randolph Tucker Morris, 81, of Rt. 1, Concord, died Sunday.

Born in Campbell County, he was a son of John Presley Morris and Martha Ann Martin Morris. He was a member of Early's Chapel United Methodist Church of Concord, and was a livestock farmer.

He is survived by several nephews and nieces.

Funeral services were conducted at Early's Chapel United Methodist Church at 3 p.m. Wednesday. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Virginia Funeral Chapel was in charge of arrangements.

Leftover egg whites can be used in cakes, meringues and souffles.

Wesley B. Farrar

PAMPLIN - Wesley Baker Farrar, 55, died Monday afternoon in Lynchburg General Hospital as the result of a traffic accident. He made his home with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Farrar of Rt. 1, Pamplin.

Born in Appomattox County, he was a son of the late Willie W. Farrar and Nora Lee Farrar. He was a member of Evergreen Baptist Church.

In addition to his brother and sister-in-law, he is survived by four other brothers, Elijah Farrar and John Farrar of Evergreen, George Farrar of Appomattox and Bernard Farrar.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Evergreen Baptist Church by the Rev. Edmond Terry. Interment was in Evergreen Cemetery.

Robinson Funeral Home, was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Oscar L. McCormick

GLADSTONE - Mrs. Nora Stephens McCormick, 79, of Rt. 1, Gladstone died at 1:45 a.m. Sunday in Guggenheimer Memorial Hospital after a long illness. She was the widow of Oscar Leonard McCormick.

Born in Appomattox County, she was a daughter of the late Iverson W. and Ida Viar Stephens. She was a member of Maple Grove Baptist Church.

She is survived by three sons, Oscar D. McCormick and J. O. McCormick of Gladstone and I. W. McCormick of Allen, Ky.; a sister, Mrs. Annie S. McCormick; seven grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Whitten Park Avenue Chapel. Burial was in Amherst Cemetery.

VA News

EDITOR'S NOTE: Veterans and their families are asking thousands of questions concerning the benefits their Government provides for them through the Veterans Administration. Below are some representative queries. Additional information may be obtained at any VA office.

Q - Can the premiums of National Service Life Insurance be waived due to a disability?

A - Yes. The policyholder must have a disability that prevents him from following substantial gainful employment for a period of six months or more. The disability must have occurred prior to his 65th birthday.

Q - I am an active-duty serviceman on excess leave without pay to attend school. What am I entitled to be paid by the VA?

A - An active-duty serviceman on excess leave without pay to attend school is eligible to receive payment as a veteran provided he has completed at least 181 days continuous active duty.

Williamsburg & Virginians Deeply Involved in Events at Christmas Time 200 Years Ago

WILLIAMSBURG, Va. - With the approach of the Christmas season 200 years ago this month, the colonial Capital of Williamsburg was a busy place, gearing up for a war that was to last six years.

The fourth Virginia Convention (Dec. 1-Jan. 20, 1775) occupied the attention of many leading patriots in the Old Dominion. It met in Richmond for one day and then, with Lord Dunmore busy some distance away, felt safe to adjourn to Williamsburg.

It was this same historic convention that laid the foundation for a Virginia navy, established county commissions to try the loyalists who bore arms, extended the Committee of Safety for another year, and ordered construction of salt works and powder mills to relieve the acute shortages of those commodities.

On Dec. 9, 1775, Governor Dunmore ordered Samuel Leslie and 120 men of the British 14th Regiment to attempt an early morning assault against Colonel William Woodford's Virginia forces across the narrow causeway spanning the Elizabeth River at Great Bridge. Although the British were in a strong position since the Virginians had no cannon with which to force a crossing, the governor chose to strike first when he heard that artillery was on the way from North Carolina.

Exposed to murderous crossfire from the Virginians as they marched six abreast along the causeway, the British were driven back with 17 killed and 49 wounded. Only one Virginian was injured.

With Christmas less than two weeks away, the Americans occupied Norfolk on Dec. 14, 1775 after reinforcements from Williamsburg and North Carolina brought their total strength to about 1200 troops.

The month and year did not end, however, without many Virginia riflemen being captured during the American assault on Quebec. This assault, led by brigadier generals Richard Montgomery and Benedict Arnold, was disastrously repulsed on the final day of 1775.

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Society News

Mr. and Mrs. John Burns of Fredericksburg, were guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Lawson.

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Mrs. Verna Conner is a patient in Lynchburg General Hospital where she underwent surgery on Tuesday.

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Mrs. Lathan Harvey has returned home from Lynchburg General Hospital when she underwent surgery on Friday.

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Bill Jamerson attended the Eighteenth Annual Awards Dinner of the National Football Foundation and Hall of Fame in New York City on Tuesday of last week. Mr. Jamerson was among a group of faculty representatives, officials from the Athletic Department and Student Air Board of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University who attended. The dinner was held in the Waldorf Astoria Hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jamerson and Phillip Jamerson attended a Christmas Concert presented in the Braddock Street Methodist Church of Winchester, Virginia on Dec. 7, 1975. The concert was presented by the Shenandoah College and Conservatory of Music Concert Choir. Ed Jamerson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jamerson, is a freshman at the Conservatory and a member of the Concert Choir.

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Phillip Jamerson underwent an appendectomy at the Lynchburg General Hospital on Monday evening of this week.

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Mrs. Alma Almond is able to be out again after being confined to her home with the flu.

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Mr. Billy Almond of Hampden Sydney College, spent the day on Saturday with his grandmother, Mrs. Alma Almond.

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T/Sgt. and Mrs. Wesley C. Newcomb and Scotty of Newport News spent the week end with their mothers, Mrs. S. J. Evans and Mrs. A. C. Newcomb of Lynchburg.

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Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Mathews of Appomattox and T/Sgt. and Mrs. Wesley C. Newcomb and Scotty of Newport News were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. S. J. Evans.

Providence Church Christmas Play

YOU are invited to enjoy "Christmas Is A Miracle", a play by Wilma W. Burton, which will be presented by the young people on Sunday night, December 21,1975 at 7:30 p.m. at Providence Baptist Church in Red House.

The play is divided into three parts. Part I is The Promise, Part 2 is The Miracle, and Part 3 is The Fulfillment.

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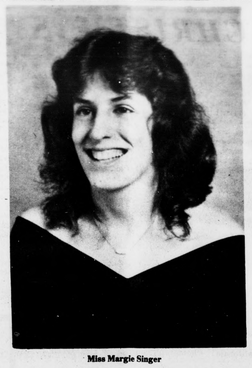

Miss Margie Singer

Engagement Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Singer of Lovingston have announced the engagement of their daughter, Margie, to Charles W. Jamerson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Jamerson of Appomattox.

Miss Singer is a senior at Nelson County High School.

Mr. Jamerson is a graduate of Appomattox County High School and is employed by his father.

The wedding will take place January 10,1976 at 7 p.m. at the home of the groom-to-be.

No invitations are being sent but relatives and friends are invited to attend.

Mrs. Earle Robinson is still a patient in Lynchburg General Hospital where she is recovering from injuries sustained in a fall.

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Attention! Members Of Appomattox Woman's Club

VFWC Art, Literary, and Craft Contest for our local club will be held during the next club meeting on Jan. 5th. If you wish to enter, please contact Mrs. Robert W. Carter as soon as possible. All club members are encouraged to participate.

Vows Exchanged

Mrs. Dorothy D. Booker announces the marriage of her daughter, Carolyn Faye, to E2 Harold Steven Pennix, son of Mrs. Thelma P. Hamiett, all of Appomattox.

The double ring ceremony took place Saturday, December 6, 1975 in the home of the bride, by Rev. R. Q. Lawing.

The groom will leave for Hawaii on January 5, 1976 to serve 1½ years in the United States Army. The bride will join him later in the year.

Delta Zeta Chapter Held Meeting

Mrs. Jean Chernault was hostess at her home for members of Delta Zeta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi on December 10th.

Annette Williams presented the program entitled "Womens Equal Rights".

A social hour followed.

Liberty Sanctuary Choir To Present Cantata

The Sanctuary Choir of Liberty Baptist Church will present a Christmas cantata on Sunday, Dec. 21, at 7:30 in the evening in the church auditorium. The presentation will be "God's Love Gift" by Robert DeCon. Soloists for the cantata are Mrs. Mary Ellen Chandler, Mrs. Sharon Chauncey, Mrs. Betty Rhodenizer and Mr. John Hall. Narrator will be J. D. Martin. The choir will be accompanied by Sandy Jamerson on the organ and Patsy Hughes on the piano. The choir is directed by Mrs. J. Franklin Vaughan.

Area residents are coridally invited to worship with the congregation as the true meaning of Christmas is again unfolded with music.

Area LC Students Are Honored

Thirty Lynchburg College seniors, including five from the Lynchburg area, have been selected to appear in the 1975-76 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges." Dr. Thomas C. Tiller, dean of student affairs, announced the roster of students selected for the honor.

The recipients of the honor were selected on the basis of their contributions to the academic and extracurricular life of the College community. They were selected by a special committee of faculty, students, and administration.

The Lynchburg students named to appear in the new edition are: Thomas Earl Daniel, Reynolds Ct., College St., majoring in dramatic arts; Frank Lee Hall, son of Mr. and

MISS TERESA RUTH HAMILTON

Engagement Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Jack M. Hamilton of Appomattox, announce the engagement of their daughter, Teresa Ruth, to Mr. Daniel Austin Waters, son of Mr. and Mrs. Julius F. Waters of Norfolk.

Miss Hamilton's maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dean A. Pugh of Appomattox. Her paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Street Hamilton of Kerrville, Texas.

Mr. Waters' maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Powell of Charlottesville. His paternal grandmother is Mrs. Minnie Waters of Jasper, Florida.

Miss Hamilton is a graduate of Appomattox County High School and is currently attending Central Virginia Community College. Mr. Waters is a graduate of Eastern Academy in Norfolk and is currently attending Old Dominion University in Norfolk.

A June wedding is planned.

Mrs. Elwood D. Holt, Concord, majoring in history/English; Mildred Gibbs Mahan, daughter of Mrs. John G. Mahan, 319 Langhorne Ln., majoring in math/biology; Joseph Abraham Sanzone, 849 Balmont St., majoring in English; and Mrs. Patricia Strokes Worsham, 156B Thomas Rd., Madison Heights, majoring in English.

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